

Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING JUNE 23, 1893.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Sun rises to-morrow at 4:35; sun sets 7:25. High water 3:55 a. m. and 4:22 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this season continued cool and fair to night and Sunday; westerly to northerly winds.

SALE OF GLEBE LANDS.—The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore Sun speaking of the sales of Alexandria county lands as reported in Wednesday's GAZETTE says: Among the recent land sales in Alexandria county is that of a portion of the old glebe of Fairfax Parish or Christ church, which has a special relation not only to American history but to American jurisprudence. This glebe was the only one that escaped what may be called the "nationalization" of Virginia church property at the close of the last century. The Commonwealth declared forfeited to the overseers of the poor the church glebes or farms which had been bought for support of the rector of the parishes of the old English church. Many of the glebes were sold, and the money thus raised became in part the foundation of the literary fund of the State. Before, however, the law directing the transfer of the glebes had been entirely carried out Alexandria county was ceded to the United States, and with the glebe lands of Christ church, became a portion of the District of Columbia. The validity of the law was contested. The Court of Appeals of Virginia decided that the Commonwealth had a right to make sale of the glebes, and this decision covered all the glebe lands in Virginia except those of Christ church, Alexandria, which was then under the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States, so the appeal in the case of this one glebe went up to the Supreme Court of the United States, which decided in the case of the vestry vs. Wren that, "on the whole, the majority of the court are of opinion that the land in controversy belongs to the Episcopal church of Alexandria, and has not been divested by the Revolution or any act of the Legislature passed since that period; that the overseers of the poor of the parish of Fairfax have no just, legal or equitable title to said land, and ought to be perpetually enjoined from claiming the same." So when the glebe was sold the money went to the funds of Christ church and was used to build or improve the parsonage in Alexandria.

PERSONAL.—The Fredericksburg Lance says: Major Thomas P. Wallace received a telegram yesterday announcing serious illness of his brother, Dr. William Wallace, of Bristol, Tenn. Maj. Wallace left for Bristol on the noon train.

Mr. Harry Hantzmon left here last night for Tiffin, Ohio, to attend the Christian Endeavor convention of the M. P. Church.

Dr. J. B. Coakley and family, of Delaware avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting his brother, F. A. Coakley, of Commerce street. It has been several years since the Doctor has been here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Monroe have returned from a visit through northern Virginia.

Miss Julia Houck is visiting the Misses Schoell in Hyattsville, Md.

The Washington correspondent of the Richmond Times says: Mr. Louis Kraft, of Alexandria, who was prominently mentioned as consul to Mannheim, in the city to-day. It is more than likely that Mr. Kraft's ability will yet suggest him for a prominent position in this department of the government service.

Mr. John DeSilva and Miss Emma V. Jeffries were married on Wednesday.

Mr. Wm. B. Corse left here to-day for the West.

Master Forest Crook has gone to the country for the summer.

EXCITEMENT ON THE SUBURBS.—About five o'clock yesterday evening a telephone message was received from the Midland depot stating that some tramps were rioting in that locality. Officers Rolla Henry, Joshua Sherwood and George Jones double-quick to the scene, but the rioters, upon seeing the bluecoats, ceased hostilities and acted upon the principle of every man for himself by taking to their heels and starting toward a camp to the west of the city which white and black nomads make their rendezvous. A straggler, a negro, calling himself Ellis James, was captured, but the others escaped. Some are said to have been seriously injured in the melee, one so much so that he applied to Mr. Joseph Chaucery, who lives a few miles west of the city, for attention. James was placed in the dock at the station house this morning. He said he came from North Carolina, but being unable to give a satisfactory account of himself was sent to the chain-gang for 30 days under the vagrant law.

A DELIGHTFUL CHANGE.—The torrid weather of the past few days underwent a delightful change between six and seven o'clock yesterday evening. The southwestern heavens had presented a slaty appearance an hour or so before, and there was every indication that a copious rain was impending. The rain, however, was more in the nature of a sprinkle, the heavier clouds passing to the northeast. There was enough, though, to lay the dust, and the strong, cooling west and north-west breezes which preceded and followed the rain lowered the temperature to a very comfortable degree. Throughout the night the wind blew cool and refreshing, and to-day the weather has been clear and pleasant.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was cloudy and mild. There were two prisoners at the station house.

Justice Thompson disposed of the following cases:

Ellis James, colored, for vagrancy, was sent to jail for 30 days subject to the chain gang.

John H. Brooks, colored, arrested by Officer Crump for an assault on Edward Davis, also colored, was fined \$2.

Several persons charged with maintaining nuisances on their premises were fined \$1 each.

OBSTRUCTING THE TRACK.—A small colored boy was arrested by a track walker on the electric railway a few miles below this city yesterday, for placing a log of wood on the track of that road. He was brought to this city and later taken back to his home where his parents promised to punish him. The boy had previously placed rocks on the track for fun.

THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.—The closing exercises at the Episcopal Theological Seminary, near this city, were concluded to-day, when the ordination of priests and deacons took place according to the programme published in yesterday's GAZETTE. Those ordained deacons were Messrs. T. P. Baker, A. K. Fenton, T. D. Lewis, C. H. Lee, D. F. Ward and A. C. Thompson, of the Diocese of Virginia; T. D. Ribble and W. A. Goodwin, of the Diocese of Southern Virginia; J. L. Lighthorn, of the Diocese of West Virginia; J. D. Miller, of the Diocese of North Carolina; Henry Wingate, of the Diocese of East Carolina; and J. A. O'Meara, of the Diocese of Kentucky. Revs. J. R. Ellis, of Gordonsville; M. A. Croft, of North Danville; J. F. Ribble, of Casanova, and W. H. Milton, of Crew, were ordained priests.

The ordination sermon was preached by Rev. W. M. Clark, of Fredericksburg, and Bishops Whittle, of Virginia; Randolph, of Southern Virginia; Peterkin, of West Virginia; Dudley, of Kentucky, and Watson, of Eastern Carolina, officiated at the services.

The Bishops made the following appointments: T. P. Baker, to West Point; C. H. Lee, Markham; A. C. Thompson, Tappanannock; D. F. Ward, Westmoreland; W. A. Goodwin, St. Johns; A. K. Fenton, West Virginia; J. L. Lighthorn, Huntington, W. Va.; J. D. Miller, Raleigh, N. C.; C. E. Sparks, Louisville, Ky., and Henry Wingate, North Carolina.

MASONIC.—At a meeting last night of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons the following officers were elected and installed for the ensuing year: W. M. Smith, W. M.; R. T. Davis, S. W.; M. P. Vincent, J. W.; G. W. Fisher, Treasurer; J. S. Douglas, Secretary; F. E. Anderson, S. D.; W. R. Purvis, J. D.; T. W. Robinson and Ashby Miller, Stewards; Jas. Grigg, Tyler; R. L. Adam, Organist. The lodge room had been tastefully, beautifully and suggestively decorated by Mr. R. L. Adam. The floral tributes were especially handsome, the "three steps, emblematic of youth, manhood and old age" being especially commended.

THE ELECTRIC CARS.—Instructions have been given by Superintendent Holden, of the electric road, to the motormen to keep the cars under control while passing through the streets of the city and to run them at a moderate speed. The motormen will, as ever, use all precaution to avoid collision with vehicles or pedestrians.

CORRECTION.—Martha Stokes, colored, was fined \$5 by Mayor Strauss yesterday for disorderly conduct, and not for harboring a minor, as was incorrectly stated in the police report. The Stokes woman, it seemed, cursed the child's mother when she protested against the accused harboring her daughter.

THE GRUBER FAMILY.—The Hampton News in speaking of the performance of the Gruber family which appears here next week says: "The Opera House was well filled on Monday night to hear the performance by the Gruber family. The family numbers nine, and the entertainment given by them was first-class and the audience was delighted. The professor showed the audience during the evening that he was master of the violin, by playing it in every conceivable position, even without a bow and against the side of the house. Little Josie charmed every one with her winning ways and cuteness as well as by her sweet voice."

Fairfax Notes.

James M. Love and R. W. Moore have been appointed a committee to examine the county clerk's office.

License to sell malt liquor, &c., has been granted to L. J. Woolen, at Colingtonwood Beach, and to H. S. Benson, at New Alexandria.

Mr. J. M. Love commissioner in the suit of Moore vs. Selesman, sold on Monday 57½ acres (formerly old Union Mills station) to Levi Woodbury for \$400.

Mr. C. H. Adams, day operator at Clifton, has accepted a position in Alexandria at the W. O. & W. depot, and has, with his family, moved to Alexandria. Mr. Geo. Smith, of Orange, takes charge of the office for the present.

We were assured on Monday (court day) by gentlemen of intelligence and influence that O'Ferrall would not have the solid delegation "by a jugful," and that whoever makes such a promise will be unable to deliver the goods.—Herald.

COURT OF APPEALS.—The Court of Appeals, sitting at Wytheville, handed down opinions in these cases yesterday:

Beal et al. vs. the city of Roanoke, from Roanoke city; decree affirmed; opinion by Judge Lewis.

Woodrum vs. Gross, from Roanoke city; judgment affirmed; opinion by Judge Lacy.

Morrison vs. Wilkinson, from King William county; decree affirmed.

Staggall vs. Steagall, from Washington county; decree reversed; opinion by Judge Hinton.

Saunders vs. Peebles, from Nelson county; decree affirmed; opinion by Judge Fauntleroy.

Karlin and Schiller vs. Winch, from Roanoke city; judgment affirmed by an evenly divided court.

Bank of Abingdon vs. Board of Supervisors, from Washington county. Court adhered to former opinion affirming decree.

Horton vs. Mooman; appeal refused. Case of Doc. Taylor vs. Commonwealth, from Wise county; under argument.

Elgin's Best is the best Butter made.

Price 30 cents per pound.

Just received five crates fine large tomatos, best in the market, at reduced rates.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

There are 14 prisoners in jail, 11 white and 3 colored.

Mr. Chas. Ohlert has resigned the position of substitute letter carrier.

Miss Maggie Spillman, a well known lady of this city, died this morning.

The Y. M. S. L. will give their annual excursion on Thursday, Aug. 3.

The Y. M. S. L. Choral Union have secured Prof. T. D. Gambrell as director.

Fine shad are still being caught by gillers in the river just below this city.

Dr. G. T. Klijstein has sold to Mr. R. E. Lewis a house and lot on the west side of Pitt street, between Duke and Wolfe.

Mr. R. H. Warden has begun the erection of three press brick front houses on Queen street near Columbus, for Miss Rebecca Powell.

Mr. J. P. Taylor, from his farm, near Fairfax Courthouse, brought to this office four several stalks of oats which measured five feet and which were well headed.

A paper is being circulated in Washington asking the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to produce the branch it is now building from Roach's Spring to Rosslyn, as far as the Great Falls. About three hundred men and teams are now at work on the branch referred to.

William Harvey, a bookkeeper living in Danville, was assaulted by a unknown white man in front of the National Hotel in Washington early yesterday morning, receiving a serious scalp wound in the head from the blow of a cane or club. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital.

The Mount Vernon Electric Railway Company will soon issue tickets from Mount Vernon to New York and intermediate points via the B. & O. and Pennsylvania roads. Passengers by the B. & O. route between this city and Washington will go by way of the ferry, and those by the Pennsylvania route by way of the Washington Southern road.

AMUSEMENTS.

LANNON'S OPERA HOUSE.

TUESDAY, June 27th, at 8 o'clock.

THE GRUBER FAMILY,

consisting of nine persons, in summer concert for the benefit of

TRINITY M. E. CHURCH.

Tickets 15, 25 and 35 cents, for sale at Deyson's Book Store or members of committee. je23 4t

DRY GOODS.

Woodward & Lothrop.

10th, 11th and F Sts., N. W.

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REMNANT DAY

There never has been a time when a little money on the part of the consumer would go farther in buying than now. The REMNANT REPORTS from the several departments are more interesting than for several weeks past.

BARBAIN SALES have been our great feature. Seasonable goods have been selling this week at never so low prices. Stocks of remnanters—"odd and extreme sizes," "short lengths," "small and broken lots," muslin, sold, tumbled, and scratched things. We don't want these things in stock, and it matters not how low they were marked originally—we have re-marked them at low reduced prices. BLACK AND COLORED DRESS GOODS especially merit attention. If you are looking for a piece of goods to make jacket, skirt, or a child's dress, you may be sure of finding a satisfactory length and effect at a saving of 50 per cent. or more. The department of HIGH-CLASS COTTON WASH STUFFS offers many good lengths of Imported Gingham, Cheviot, Madras, Organdy, &c., suitable for women's and children's shirt waists and full suits. The prices are little enough, for things are marked to sell quickly.

MEN'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

2 pairs Summer-weight Natural Wool Drawers. Size 44. Reduced from \$2.75 to \$1.25. (First floor.....1009 F. St.)

CUTLERY DEPARTMENT.

A few pairs of White-handled Carvers. Reduced to 75c. (First floor.....2nd annex.)

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

6 Trimmed Hats, slightly soiled. Reduced from \$4.50, and \$5 to \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

20 Bunches Mussed Flowers. Reduced to 10 cents. (Second floor.....second annex.)

SHAWL DEPARTMENT.

4 Knitted Shawls. Reduced from \$1 to 50c. (Third floor.....11th-st. building.)

GARDEN TOOLS.

23 sets. Reduced from 75c, \$1.25 and \$1.75 to 45c. (Fourth floor.....10th-st. building.)

NOTION DEPARTMENT.

6 pairs Silk Garters. Reduced from 50c to 35c. Twelve Shoe Horns. Reduced from 8c to 1c. (First floor.....11th-st. building.)

SILVER WARE DEPARTMENT.

1 Cake Basket. Reduced from \$7.50 to \$5. 1 reduced from \$7 to \$6. 3 Butter Dishes. Reduced from \$3.25 to \$2.75. (First floor.....11th-st. building.)

GOODS DELIVERED IN ALEXANDRIA.

Woodward & Lothrop,

10th, 11th & F Sts., n. w., WASHINGTON, D. C.

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF MEN'S NECKWEAR just received by

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

SUMMER WINES—Superior, Catawba and Claret on draught and by the bottle, for sale by

H. C. WALLACE.

YOU can buy the finest NEW YORK CREAM CHEESE at

MT. VERNON DAIRY CO.

MASSANUTA WATER at LUNT & ALLEN'S. A fresh supply received TO-day from the Springs. 30 cents per gallon

A NICE ASSORTMENT OF COTTONADES for Men and Boys' suits at

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

TRY out extra BLENDED TEA. 60c per pound at

J. C. MILBURN'S.

DENTISTRY.

VERY BEST

TIMES HAVE CHANGED.

Why should Dentistry cost as much as formerly? Clothing, shoes, flour, sugar, watches, pianos and a hundred other articles are cheaper, science and improved machinery having reduced the cost!

Science and improved machinery produce the BEST TEETH for \$8.00. Grandfather's dentist charged four times as much for vastly inferior work, and there are dentists to-day who still cling to the traditions of grandfather's time. Compare our work and prices with one of these, and realize the progress of the age.

Extracting, 25c. With gas or zono, 50c. Cleaning, 75c. Silver fillings, 75c. Platinum, \$1.00. Gold in proportion. Gold crowns, \$7.50.

U. S. DENTAL ASSOCIATION,

No. 401 Seventh street n. w., Washington, D. C.

Baltimore office—N. E. corner Baltimore and Charles streets.

WANTS.

AGENTS—We wish to place ourselves in correspondence with an ENERGETIC MAN in Alexandria with a view of engaging him to represent us; an opportunity rarely presented, and one which should not be missed. Address for particulars, Room 17, Warder Building, Washington, D. C. je15 10t*

CORPORATION NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CITY TAX PAYERS.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, June 21, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the tax bills for 1893 are now in the hands of the collectors. The attention of parties interested is respectfully called to the following extract from the revenue bill of that year:

"Upon all bills paid in full by the 1st day of July, 1893, the Collectors of Taxes shall allow a discount of ten per cent., and on all bills paid by the 1st day of September, 1893, they shall allow a discount of five per cent., and all bills not paid on the 1st day of December, 1893, there shall be assessed and collected a penalty of five per cent. upon the amount of said bills, and on all bills remaining unpaid on the 1st day of June, 1894, damages at the rate of six per cent. per annum shall be paid."

Tax payers would do well to call and pay at once in order to avoid the rush and crowd usually present on the last days in which the discount is allowed.

Office, Room No. 9, Cameron street side of Market Building.

P. F. GORMAN, Col. North. Dist. A. F. Cox, Col. South. Dist.

NOTICE.

House keepers and others are hereby requested to report all cases to police headquarters at the failure of the garbage cart to call for slops which may accumulate on their premises. Names and addresses should be left and the cart will make the necessary calls.

OFFICE BOARD OF HEALTH.

No anonymous communications will be received at this office. Parties having complaints to make must sign their names as an evidence of good faith. Such complaints will receive prompt attention.

WM. R. PURVIS, M. D., Health Officer.

CITY LICENSES.

All persons carrying on any business requiring a license will make application for the same; to wit:

All liquor dealers, commission merchants, fertilizing agents, land agents (residents or non-residents), insurance agents, agents for renting houses, brokers and bankers, private entertainers, eating houses, public rooms, theatres, shows, circuses, flying horses, awnings, etc., attorneys, physicians, dentists, daguerrean and photograph artists, agents, livery stable, dealers in coal and wood, oil posters, shoaling galleries and similar games, hearse and vehicles of every description, oyster and fish dealers, with all other classes and subjects embraced in the corporation ordinances and laws of the State.

GEO. DUFFEY, Commissioner of the Revenue. Office No. 7 Market Building, or 224 King street. je2 jyl

EXCURSIONS.

GRAND FAMILY EXCURSION

JOURNEMEN TAILORS' ASSEMBLY

MONDAY, JUNE 26TH,

TO INDIAN HEAD AND RIVER VIEW.

Steamer Samuel J. Pentz will leave Alexandria wharf at 10:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. Evening boat to River View only. Grand Prize Bowling.

See the great Spanish dancer, Florette, and the Casino Vaudeville Company.

Tickets 25 cents. Children under 12 years free. je17,21,22,23&24

LOST.

POCKET BOOK. Taken from my count on TO-day will return it with the slip of hair and the death notice, the money will not be required and no questions will be asked. je20 3t

G. WM. RAMSAY.

VEGETABLE PLANTS FOR SALE.

CABBAGE, CELERY AND TOMATO PLANTS.

First class AT LOW RATES per thousand. Will deliver anywhere in Alexandria, Va., or Washington, D. C. Correspondence solicited. Address, ANDREW SCHLEVOGT, box 320, Alexandria, Va. N. B.—Gardens three-quarters mile west of W. O. & W. R. E. Junction. W. R. R. je21 3t*

OUR latest summer cracker

"SODA TOAST,"

a delicate, crisp, Lunch or Tea Biscuit. Pure, sweet and toothsome. None on sale except at

GEORGE R. HILL & CO.

SOMETHING NEW.—Mr. Bamwell's patent BAKING PAN SET for cooking Bread, Pies, Cakes, and Meats. A great saver of labor and expense. Every housekeeper should have one. Call and see them at

JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS',

315 King street, Alexandria, Va.

"SODA TOAST" is the name of a new cracker just put out to the season. Try a pound. On sale at the stores. je19 1t

HARTFORD COLD SPRING GINGER ALE for sale by

H. C. WALLACE.

ICED TEA—Good mixed TEAS, 45 and 60c per pound, suitable for making iced tea, at

J. C. MILBURN'S.

A LOT OF OUTING CLOTHS worth 12½¢, selling at 6c, at

CHAPMAN'S, 424 King street.

A FINE assortment of SPRING DRESS GINGHAMS, beautiful patterns, at

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

HONEY-SUCKLE SOAP, a good toilet soap only 4 cents a cake, 45 cents per dozen at

J. C. MILBURN'S.

ADAM and Young America Cheese, for sale by

H. C. WALLACE.

CHOICE FRESH BUTTER just received by

J. C. MILBURN.

AUCTION SALES.

SERGEANT'S SALE OF GROCERIES.

By virtue of an order of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Va., in the case of J. H. Crilly vs. J. M. J. Maddox, I will sell at public auction at the store of Thomas Perry, No. 132 King street, on TUESDAY, June 27, at 10 o'clock, the following property levied on by me to satisfy an execution: to wit:

1 barrel of Sugar, 1 box of Coffee Essence, 1 box of Pickles, 2 boxes of Yeast Powder, 1 box of Quaker Oats, 1 barrel of Oil, 2 barrels of Flour, 5 bags of Meal, 1 bag of Middlings.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

WM. H. SMITH, Sergeant of the city of Alexandria, Va. je22 1t